

POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS

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CARLSBAD POLICE TO HOLD SUMMER TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT DETAIL

Approximately 275 collisions occurred in Carlsbad last summer resulting in two fatalities, 143 injuries, and hundreds of thousands of dollars in property damage.

On **Wednesday, June 25**, Carlsbad Police Department will be hosting a regional traffic enforcement detail in Carlsbad. Officers from San Diego Police Department, San Diego Sheriff's Department, and La Mesa, El Cajon, Chula Vista, Oceanside, Escondido, and Coronado police departments will be participating. Officers will be looking for moving violations in particular in an effort to increase safety on Carlsbad roads.

"Our goal is to increase the safety of both tourists and residents driving on our roads through the special traffic enforcement detail," said Carlsbad Traffic Officer Alonso DeVelasco. "Having the assistance of officers from throughout the county helps us bring attention to this important safety issue as we enter the height of the summer season."

The enforcement detail will start at 7 a.m. and will conclude at approximately 12 noon.

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